

# MAY EXTEND GUARD SERVICE

## Turkey to Meet German March With Force, Press Declares

### Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

ALEX. H. WASHBURN

Newspapers and Magazines

They "Read" Faster Than Radio "Listens"

This comes with better grace from another man than ourselves, so we let him have the column today. It is William Feather, editor of the Imperial Type Metal magazine, talking about newspapers and magazines. Write Mr. Feather:

### Not Allowed to Broadcast From Gallows

Four Arkansas Convicts Are Hanged in Louisiana Friday

COLUMBIA, La. —(P)— William Meharg, 25, was the first of four condemned men hanged here Friday shortly after officers had refused them permission to broadcast prepared statements through radio station KMLD at Monroe.

The trap was sprung at 12:09 p. m. His three companions in the sensational Labor day Arkansas convict farm prison break which culminated in the slaying of a policeman here were scheduled to follow Meharg to the gallows in quick succession.

As he left the death cell a radio announcer was reading his 500-word statement, a tribute to his mother and a warning that crime does not pay.

He said that he had wasted his life in "crime and sin" which did not pay but "in the end his mother's prayers had been answered."

Others put to death were: Floyd Boyce (12:39) who said he "hoped this would be a lesson to all doing wrong."

William Heard, (1:15) who said that "crime does not pay" and that "money gained was not easy money."

William Landers (1:31) sent a final message to his wife and little daughter in California.

Television's Picture Grows

By CHAS. E. BUTTERFIELD  
Associated Press Radio Editor  
NEW YORK — Only five have been put together so far, all for laboratory and other tests, but technicians believe they have at last developed a working model for the future home television receiver.

It projects the image on a screen 14 by 18 inches, or three and a half times larger than a farmer type with an 8- by 10-inch picture.

Except for the screen, which slides down into the front of the set when not in use, the receiver looks much like previous models turned out by RCA engineers. In the old sets a 12-inch receiving tube was used. The image appearing on the end thereof was reflected to the viewer by a mirror in the tilted lid.

The mirror lid still is used. But the tube, radically changed, now is a five-inch projector in the bottom of the receiver, sends its pictures through a special lens to the mirror which passes it on to the translucent screen.

Favorites Advance in Junior Tourney

JONESBORO, Ark. —(P)— Friday's winners in the state junior high school basketball tournament included: Jonesboro 65; Hermitage 34. Mt. Vernon 45; Violet 29. Brinkley 25; Hughes 27.

CRANIUM CRACKERS

Famous Poems  
Here are five lines from five well-known poems. Can you supply the line which follows in each case, and give the name of the poem and its author?

1. "Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet . . ."

2. "Take thy break from out my heart, and take thy form from off my door . . ."

3. "God's in His Heaven . . ."

4. "O, young Lochinvar is come out of the west . . ."

5. "A jug of wine, a loaf of bread—and thou . . ."

Answers on Comic Page

### Official Press Says 2 Million Bayonets Ready

If Germany Marches "She'll Get Answer She Never Got Before"

ISTANBUL, Turkey —(P)— Inspired Turkish newspapers warned the nation Friday strongly against accepting German assurances and declared the spread of the war to the Balkans seemed inevitable.

These statements were made as it was announced that Turkish foreign policy would be outlined by Foreign Minister Saracoglu next Monday morning at a closed session of the peoples party—Turkey's only political party—in Ankara.

Premier Saydam will address parliament Wednesday and is expected to disclose Turkey's reply to a message received from Adolf Hitler last Tuesday.

"Against a handful of bird-shot reassurances that the Axis has flung at us stands two million Turkish bayonets," one Turkish paper said.

"If Germany comes this way she will get such an answer to these reassurances as she never got before."

Another paper said: "If Germany attacks the Balkans she will see the end of her terrorism and a new order indeed will be installed in the world, but it will be a new order depending on respect for liberty for all."

Expect Nazi Attack

SOFIA —(P)—Neutral military observers heard here Friday night that German troops, massed in Bulgaria on the Greek border, may launch an attack on eastern Macedonia and Thrace within the next 48 hours.

British Rush Aid to Greeks

SOFIA — The British Friday were reported rushing all their spare equipment to the Greeks, the Germans commandeered transport to accelerate the flow of Nazi troops to the Greek frontier, and the Greeks hastily strengthened their fortifications as the new Balkan war front appeared to be in the making.

The British, it was said, were making every effort to strengthen their allies against the first shock and were rushing equipment to the Turks who are in a position to launch a flank attack on the German army if it attempts an invasion of Greece.

Believe Turks to Strike

Greek diplomatic quarters here said they believed the Turks would launch a drive into the Rhodope mountains, a chain extending east and west along the Bulgarian-Greek frontier, if Germany does attempt an offensive.

The Greek army "absolutely will fight any German invasion," these quarters said.

Preparing for all eventualities the Greeks were reported removing civilians from the threatened area in Thrace and bolstering with troops and artillery their positions along the narrow defiles of the Struma river.

To observers it appeared likely that Greek Gen. Alexander Papagos intended to abandon Thrace, the narrow coastal sector between the Struma and Turkey, as indefensible. Bulgaria long has coveted part of it.

The Struma river runs in a generally north and south direction from the Bulgarian border to the Aegean sea, a distance of 60 miles, entering the sea at the Gulf of Orani, east of Salonika.

A Narrow Front

Should the Greeks elect to make a stand along this line abandoning Thrace, they would have a sector little more than 25 miles wide to defend along the Bulgarian frontier.

Reports here said the Greeks were rushing artillery into the Struma valley.

Meanwhile it was believed the Greeks planned an intensive effort to capture the Albanian port of Valona from the Italians to anchor the western end of their battle line before the Nazis could launch an attack.

German preparations were evident on all sides as Nazi troops rolled toward the Greek frontier in trains, trucks, busses and even private cars.

Oliver Advanced to a Sergeant's Rank

Pete Oliver of Hope, now training with the Arkansas National Guards at Camp Robinson, Little Rock, has been promoted to a sergeant's rank, it was learned here Friday.

### Recruiting Officer to Be Here March 10

Sergeant George D. Sibert, detached enlisted men's list, Recruiting Service will stop at the Hope post-office Building from 8:00 a. m. to 9:00 a. m. Monday, March 10, for the purpose of accepting single men 18 to 35 years of age.

At this particular time only high school graduates will be accepted for Air Corps, Jefferson Barracks, Mo., where they will become students for 8 weeks, upon completion of said course, they will be given their choice of geographical location.

### 16 County Men Are Drafted

To Leave For Camp Robinson March 13

Sixteen Hope and Hempstead county youths will entrain for Little Rock March 13 where they will be inducted into military service at Camp Joseph T. Robinson, according to H. B. Barr, chairman of the local draft board.

Selectees and alternates follow:

- V. Charles Wesley Abbott.
- Abner Duke Hervey.
- Albert Glendon Powell.
- James David Braden.
- Rex Lee Hueckabee.
- Lee Prince.
- Ollace Leon Rider.
- Muett Copeland.
- Granvel Newton Bright.
- James Wallace Reed.
- Saxon Velvin.
- Melvin Asbury Burke.
- James Samuel Lee, Jr.
- Alton James Avery.
- Claude Heath McCorkle.
- William Steven Bader.
- Alternates
- George Arthur Hern.
- Trevell H. Rhodes.
- Claude Anny Tolleson.
- Clinton Eli Lee.
- Henry Binford McRae.
- James Roy Wolf.

### Italians List British Losses

Editor Lists Huge Losses Inflicted by Italians

ROME —(P)— Virgino Gayda, authoritative Italian editor, asserted Friday that British sea and air losses at the hands of Italy totaled 20 warships, 26 submarines, 58 fighters and seven tankers, all sunk, 805 planes shot down, and 213 destroyed on the ground.

Gayda also said 87 British warships, three submarines and 48 fighters were damaged by Italian action, two tankers torpedoed, and 90 planes probably downed in addition to the plane losses which he said were certain.

He published the figures to show, as he put it, that Italy is doing her part in the Axis war by straining vital British tonnage at a time when every ship is needed in the defense of the British Isles.

### Reed Denies Prison Charge

Former Penal Head Says Charges Untrue, Unfair

LITTLE ROCK — Al H. Reed, former superintendent of the Arkansas penal system whose administration was attacked by a House investigating committee, Wednesday declared Thursday night that charges set out in the committee's report were "unfair, untrue and ridiculous."

He charged that the committee had obtained explanations of most every charge it made, but did not include them in the report. He said the explanations would have made the report less sensational.

"Politics is the basis of the charges," he said, "but I feel confident when the investigation is completed, I will be vindicated. When I took over the operation of the system four years ago from Tom Cogbill, who now is superintendent again, tried to carry favor with me by telling me of the terrible conditions that had existed

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### Bulgaria May Continue Her Neutral Stand

Will Proclaim Friendship for Axis, But Decline to Sign Pact

BELGRADE —(P)— A visit by Regent Prince Paul to Adolf Hitler's fateful Berchtesgaden conference table was disclosed Friday as the Yugoslav government—under mounting diplomatic pressure from both Britain and the Axis—was expected momentarily to proclaim closer friendship with Germany and Italy but also to reaffirm its strict neutrality.

With a statement clarifying Yugoslavia's position anticipated within 24 hours it was learned authoritatively that Prince Paul went to Berchtesgaden last Monday, returning to Belgrade Thursday.

Statement Expected

Informed quarters said the Yugoslav statement would explain the government's attitude "in the light of the new situation arising from the occupation of Axis-aligned Bulgaria, Yugoslavia's next-door neighbor."

The regent's trip to Berchtesgaden, where the fate of so many European countries has been decided, followed a trip there by Premier Cvetkovic and Foreign Minister Markovic. They were received by Hitler Feb. 14.

The two discussed with Hitler Yugoslavia's possible adherence to the Rome-Berlin-Tokyo alliance. Diplomatic quarters expressed belief, however, that Yugoslavia also would restate her strict neutrality and refrain from joining the Axis for the time being at least.

It was learned that the government's expected neutrality statement would be accompanied by an explanation of the regent's visit to Hitler.

To Talk to London, Moscow

Informed quarters said the Yugoslav ministers in London and Moscow also will explain their government's attitude to the British and Russian governments.

No one seemed to know for sure just where Yugoslavia was heading. Diplomatic quarters said, however, one thing was certain—that the nation wished to preserve its neutrality but at the same time realizes that German pressure is much more powerful than Britain's efforts to keep the country neutral.

### Pigeons to Be Released Here

Hope Is One of 8 Race Stations of Conway Club

A cage of homing pigeons will be released by Railway Express officials here Sunday morning at 9 o'clock according to a letter received from the Conway Homing Pigeon club of Conway, Arkansas.

Hope is one of 8 stations where pigeons will be released.

The letter follows:

Editor The Star: Hope, Ark., is the second of eight race stations of the Conway Arkansas Homing Pigeon Club. We will send the pigeons Saturday night by express and they will be released Sunday Morning March 9th by the expressman at Hope. They will start their flight to Conway and should be here in about two and one half hours.

The reason we are writing you is because we want you to please give us some space in your paper telling the people in your community about the races, also telling the people to be on the lookout for any birds that may become lost, hurt, or attacked by hawks. If any person finds a pigeon either live or dead with a band on its leg please have them to send the bands in to me in Conway. If the birds are alive please hold and wait until we send word.

Yours Truly,  
Conway Homing Pigeon Club  
Conway, Ark.  
Robert W. Mosley, Secretary.

Wouldn't it be nice if we could leave the income tax blank that way?

### A Thought

And the Lord said, I have surely seen the affliction of my people which are in Egypt, and have heard their cry by reason of their taskmasters; for I know their sorrows.—Exodus 3:7.



Each time Hitler puts another country under his "protection" it means he must assign troops to that area, thus further scattering Germany's 250 divisions—comprising about 4,000,000 officers and men. Map shows how these legions are deployed, with only about 64 divisions (1,000,000 men) left as a striking force for invasion of Britain or other contemplated operations.

### Probe Clears Sen. Abington

Street Aid Measure Passes the Senate Friday

LITTLE ROCK —(P)— The five-man house committee investigating expenditures for construction of buildings at the Beebe Junior Agricultural college Friday cleared Sen. W. H. Abington of Beebe and other members of the Abington family of charges they had benefited financially from awarding of contracts.

Rep. Eugene Hampton of Mariana, committee chairman, told the house his group found some criticism of the state auditorial department in handling of vouchers for the school and in apparent elimination of outside bidders on contracts for the school, but concluded that otherwise conditions were satisfactory.

On completion of the report the house authorized immediate transmission to Gov. Adkins of the appropriation bill for the Beebe school which had been held up three weeks by committee investigation of charges against the Abington family by Hampton.

In the senate an administration bill providing for allocation of the \$750,000 set aside under the Adkins refunding act for various road, street and bridge aid projects passed 27 to 1.

Under the measure the first \$200,000 of the allotment each year would be used to pay bridge improvement district bonds, the next \$140,000 to pay road improvement district bonds, and the remainder of the allotment would be divided 45.12 per cent to the municipal bond retirement fund and 54.88 per cent to the municipal turnback fund.

### British Down 16 Nazi Planes

Raid on Malta Proves Costly to Germans

CAIRO —(P)— A mass raid by more than 100 German planes on Britain's Mediterranean force at Malta in which 16 dive bombers, and fighters of the attacking force were shot down, was disclosed by the British Friday.

Rapid British progress to Fer-Fer, in the Somaliland-Ethiopian frontier region, and a slower advance to a point east of Amant, on the Gondar road north of Lake Tana, in Ethiopia, also was reported.

### His Side Given by Reynerson

Claims City Treasurership Only Part-Time Office

City Treasurer made the following statement to The Star Friday morning:

"There has been a good deal of comment regarding the treasurer's office during my absence and I would like for the citizens of Hope to know my side.

"I admit that I met several persons on the streets of Hope, during the past week, who paid me for their city tags and asked me to save their license plates and they would come by and get them for me to deliver them. I told them I would, so they wouldn't have to pay a penalty, after they had paid me the money for the tags. One of this group sent me the money through the mail.

"I figured I was doing a favor for my friends as they couldn't come for their license at that time.

"I deny any charge that I have let people have plates without paying the penalty.

"This office has always been considered a part-time office. The treasurer's office was kept at one time by a banker at the Arkansas Bank & Trust Co. Another time it was kept in a store east of town, and when I was elected to the office I brought it back to the city hall where it belonged.

"The mayor at that time told me it was only a part-time office.

"I asked for a raise two years ago and the council would not give it to me because they considered it a part-time office.

"I admit the license plates are kept in a public place. However, I feel the council is as much responsible for this as I am because two years ago I talked to Mr. Atkins on the streets of Hope and asked that the office next to the mayor's office in the city hall be given to me, after the AAA moved to the courthouse. I told him that the city auto plates and other records were kept on a desk and a table and that I wanted to keep them under separate lock and key because the mayor's office has to be open all time

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### COTTON

By the Associated Press  
NEW ORLEANS COTTON

	Open	High	Low	Close
March	10.60	10.60	10.55	10.58
May	10.51	10.57	10.50	10.53
July	10.48	10.52	10.45	10.48
Oct.	10.25	10.33	10.25	10.28
Dec.	10.27	10.31	10.24	10.24
Jan.	10.23			10.19
March (42)	10.23	10.25	10.21	10.18

### Army May Ask Six Months or Year Extension

Assert Guardsmen Needed to Train Selective Service Recruits

WASHINGTON —(P)— A War department official said Friday the army may ask congress for authority to keep the national guard in service for an additional six months or a year.

Whether the guardsmen are kept in uniform beyond the current year's period of training will depend, it was explained, on the tenseness of the international situation.

Should they be demobilized at conclusion of the current year's service the army might be faced "with a serious situation" because of a shortage of trained manpower to train the selective service recruits called to the colors under a continuous process, it was explained.

Gen. George Marshall, army chief of staff, was reported to feel that a second year's service for the national guard was advisable in the light of the present international outlook, and that a minimum of six months was indispensable.

### Investigation of Air Crashes

House Committee Ordered to Look into Accidents

WASHINGTON —(P)— An investigation of commercial air line accidents which have resulted in 55 deaths in the last eight months was ordered by the House Thursday. It adopted a resolution by Representative Nichols (Dem., Okla.) setting up a special five-member committee to conduct the inquiry.

The chairman, who probably will be, Chairman Nichols, said he believed hearings would be held here and in other cities. The inquiry will cover all accidents since January 1, 1940, including the following:

Crash near Atlanta February 27, in which eight persons died, including Representative Byron (Dem., Md.) and in which Edward Rickenbacker, noted World War ace and president of Eastern Air Lines, was seriously injured.

At Lovettsville, Va., August 31, 1940, resulting in 25 deaths, including Senator Lundeen (F. L. Minn.).

At Centerville, Utah, November 4, 1940, 10 deaths.

At Chicago, December 4, 1940, 10 deaths.

At St. Louis, January 23, 1941, two deaths.

The resolution directs the committee to inquire into flying and ground equipment and facilities, management and operation, administration of laws and regulations regarding operation and inspection of planes and safety equipment and the liability of air lines on account of loss of life or injury to persons or property.

Many supporters of the inquiry, while not charging last year's presidential transfer of the Civilian Aeronautics Authority from an independent status to the Department of Commerce, was directly responsible for the increase in accidents, said that not a single fatality occurred in the 17 months preceding the transfer. The Commerce Department has said that its relation to the CAA is principally that of bookkeeper, and that the agency still is "independent."

### 3.21 Inches Rainfall Recorded in 2 Days

3.21 inches of rainfall was recorded by the University of Arkansas Experiment station near Hope Wednesday and Thursday.

Wednesday there were 1.08 inches of rainfall and the temperature dropped to 33 degrees.

Thursday, 2.13 inches of rainfall, and the temperature low was 40 degrees.

### A Buck Seat Driver, Maybe

PUEBLO, Colo. —(P)— The jury acquitted the automobile driver of the drunken driving charge but convicted the fellow riding in the back seat. Since he was the owner of the car, a juror explained, he could better afford to pay the fine.



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many. Because that credit was good  
nowhere else, they had to take it  
Germany offered at Germany's prices.  
They didn't like the idea much,  
though it was certainly "on the basis  
of German advantage."

Mark the difference between this  
and sheer barter. There is nothing  
wrong with a straight barter idea.  
Had Colombia swapped so much cof-  
fee for an equal value in road-scrappers  
no one would have been the worse  
off.

But it wasn't like that. Colombia  
was forced, in effect, to mortgage  
a large chunk of her future put-  
chasing power to Germany, which is  
something else again.

Had she received money instead,  
she could have gone anywhere in  
the world and bought what she need-  
ed. That's the advantage of money.  
It's not that barter, in an individ-  
ual or an international deal, is  
wrong. It is simply that it is a  
 makeshift, limited system which re-  
stricts rather than facilitates trade.  
Hitler may tell against money, but  
so convenient a medium of trading  
is not to be abolished by a speech.

### Legal Notice

**Commissioner's Sale**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT  
in pursuance of the authority and  
directions contained in the decretal  
order of the chancery court of Hemp-  
stead County, Arkansas, made and  
entered on the 3rd day of March,  
1941, in a certain cause then pending  
therein between Hope Federal Savings  
and Loan Association, complainant,  
and Mrs. Marian Keith et al., de-  
fendants, the undersigned as com-  
missioner of said court, will offer  
for sale at public vendue to the high-  
est bidder, at the front door or en-  
trance to the Court House in the City  
of Hope, in Hempstead County, Ar-  
kansas, within the hours for judicial  
sales, on Saturday, the 29th day of  
March, 1941, the following described  
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Patmos, Arkansas, more particularly  
described as follows, to-wit: Com-  
mence at a stake on the north  
boundary line of the Falcon and  
Dooley's Ferry public road and 20  
feet east of the east boundary line of  
the right-of-way of the Louisiana &  
Arkansas Railway Company, and run  
thence north 306 feet to a stake, the  
point of beginning, run thence north  
240 feet, run thence east 120 feet, run  
thence south 240 feet, thence west 120  
feet back to the point of beginning,  
being a part of the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of  
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per cent (8%) per annum from date  
of sale until paid, and a lien being re-  
tained on the premises sold to secure  
the payment of the purchase money.  
Given under my hand this 4th day  
of March, 1941.

J. P. BYERS,  
Commissioner

March 7, 14.

### Whose Advantage?

Every business man worth his salt  
knows that only a deal in which both  
buyer and seller are satisfied, by  
which both profit, is no good in the  
long run. No permanent business, no  
permanent system of trade can be  
built on that basis.

That goes for trade between na-  
tions as well as for trade between  
people. We have found out that no  
country can continue indefinitely to  
buy more than it sells, to be placed  
in permanent disadvantage. Inter-  
national trade, if it is to be perma-  
nent, even, there are always some  
odd balances to be settled. But as  
a permanent matter, exchange be-  
tween countries must come sooner  
or later into something like a bal-  
ance. Each country must dispose of  
what it has too much of, and re-  
ceive equal value in the things it  
needs.

That general principle throws light  
on Herr Hitler's recent speech in  
which he outlined his principles of  
international trade. He was not go-  
ing to be restricted by money con-  
siderations, he said; he was going to  
buy for the German people, not  
money, but goods. So far, so good.  
We are going to do business,"  
he added, "solely on the basis of  
German advantage. If it's good for  
Germany, we shall trade."

The Colombians found out about  
German advantage. They "sold" huge  
quantities of coffee to Germany for  
blocked marks, "money" which was  
good only in Germany—in short, for a  
credit against German goods, when  
as, and if German goods they want-  
ed should be available. The Germans  
then took the coffee, and instead  
of drinking it themselves, sold it  
around Europe to Colombia's regular  
customers at trick prices. Colombia  
lost the coffee, lost its regular markets,  
and got nothing but credits in Ger-

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hardwood floors and redecorated.  
Large closets. Garages. \$20 per month  
406 South Spruce St. Mrs. J. E.  
Schooley. Phone 38-F-11. 7-3tc

### Notice

HAVE YOU EVER NOTICED? HAVE  
you noticed that certain types of  
metal fasteners have a tendency to  
rot the fabric to which they are at-  
tached? Reason: The cloth can't dry  
out quickly. No such trouble with  
genuine Pearl Buttons. They will  
outlast the garment, itself. When you  
buy wash garments, see that they  
are equipped with Pearl Buttons.

FRANKLIN FURNITURE CO. NOW  
located next door to Gibson's Drug  
Store, offers best buys in new and  
used furniture. Franklin Furniture  
Co. 3-1mc

SEE US FOR YOUR BEAUTY AIDS.  
All work guaranteed. Permanents  
\$1.50 up. Whiteway Beauty Shop. 5-3tc

### Wanted to Buy

WE ARE PAYING \$3.00 PER TON  
FOR SHEET IRON AND TIN—Such  
as old car bodies, fenders, sheet tin,  
drums, cable, wire, etc. Free of  
wood, cloth and galvanized sheets.  
P. A. LEWIS MTR. CO.  
Yard—Front and Laurel Streets

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING AND SHOES;  
men shoes, shirts, ladies oxfords  
large size dresses. Patterson Cash  
Store. 28-6tc

### Have Ice Time

WAGGA, Australia —(AP)—In a re-  
cord cyclone near Coolamon hall was  
a foot deep in some places.

**Samaritan Censors**

MANTOVA, Italy — A poor wo-  
man with six children wrote to her  
brother in Switzerland telling of her  
hard existence and within a few  
days received a money order. It came  
not from her brother, but from cen-  
sors in the Como postoffice who were  
touched by her plea.

### Stewardess With Dual Personality

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. —(AP)—Bet-  
McLaughlin still is stewardess on the  
Burbank-to-Dallas American Airlines  
plane, but, my, how she's changed.  
Just a short time ago the former In-  
dian University student of that name  
from Evansville, Ind., took over the  
job from Hollywood's Betty McLaugh-  
lin.

Mussolini says, "Italy will march  
with Germany to the end." Thousands  
of Italian soldiers have reached there  
already.

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

YOU GEE, MAJOR, I HAD TO BUY  
LUMBER, ROPE, SCREWS AND  
NAILS TO PUT THE WINDOW IN  
SHAPE! MATERIAL AN!  
LABOR RUN \$11.15! I'LL  
BE A SPORT AN' KNOCK OFF  
THE 15 CENTS YOU'RE  
A GOOD NEIGHBOR!

EGAD! A COOL  
\$11.00  
BEFORE  
I EVEN  
BEGIN  
USING HIS  
ARCHAIC  
HOIST!

THANK YOU,  
MR. HORNBOSTLE—FAR-  
YOUR SPORTING  
BLOOD AMAZES ME!  
JUST NOW MY FUNDS  
ARE TIED UP IN  
CHEMICAL INVEST-  
MENTS—HAK-KAFF!  
WOULD YOU  
ACCEPT A FINE  
OLD SPYGLASS  
USED IN THE  
BOER WAR?

GOOD  
NEIGHBOR  
POLICY  
APPLIED  
TO A LEND-  
LEASE DEAL

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### SERIAL STORY

## DRAFTED FOR LOVE

BY RUTH AYERS

**YESTERDAY:** Kent confesses  
that the girl he fell in love with  
was April, not Ann. But April  
cannot betray her sister. She  
tells Kent that she has a favor to  
ask him; that the whole affair was  
a joke. He takes her home, leaves,  
hating her.

**HAL GETS HIS ANSWER**

**CHAPTER XXIII**

ANN was alone in the down-  
stairs hall at the telephone  
when April returned.

"Oh, thank you very much,"  
Ann was saying. "Your congratu-  
lations mean a great deal. Yes, I  
have the message. I'll promise to  
let you know."

April went on upstairs. Con-  
gratulations to the bride! Ann  
sounded thrilled, elated.

And suddenly April realized  
that she was more at peace with  
herself than she had been since  
the first night she had seen the  
blinded Kent.

Even when Kent had been ready  
to jeopardize Ann's future, she  
had been the one who had saved it.  
All that was important now  
was that no one should ever guess  
the secret, guess the sacrifice she  
had made.

**THE** Burnetts had planned a  
small dance that night for  
Ann's friends in honor of the  
coming marriage. Dad, looking  
handsome in tuxedo, had a few  
minutes to talk with April before  
going downstairs to receive the  
guests.

"You made a fine witness today,  
Daffy girl," he said.

"And you're the best lawyer I  
ever had," she tossed back.

"It was Kent and that rookie  
who brought the hearing to a  
quick end. Winkie Appleman is a  
trouble-maker and trouble-makers  
can be pretty dangerous."

"You don't think he'd dare do  
any scandal-mongering around  
town?"

Dad thought not. "At any rate,  
not for awhile. He's being held  
for vagrancy and will probably  
end up spending a few weeks on  
the county farm."

April was before the mirror,  
smoothing in flame lipstick, spray-  
ing a mist of spicy perfume into  
her hair. She'd chosen her most  
dashing dress for tonight, coral  
colored velvet with a neck that

came high against her throat in  
front to leave her back a gleam-  
ing expanse of opal skin.

"You look mighty sweet," Dad  
said.

But she knew she didn't. The  
dress belonged to another part of  
her life; it set oddly with her  
white face and frightened eyes.

"I'm celebrating my escape from  
jail," she said.

"All set for tomorrow?" Dad  
seemed to be worried about some-  
thing, anxious to talk to his oldest  
girl.

"All set?" April answered. "I'm  
glad Ann dismissed the idea of  
having a bridesmaid. It would  
have struck me as funny to have  
been standing beside the bride-  
groom in court one day and be-  
side the bride, the next."

Dad looked at her, a question  
way back in his eyes. But he  
walked out without saying any-  
thing.

**DOWNSTAIRS,** a white-coated  
cousin of Octavia's was pre-  
paring the punch; clearing the  
floors; arranging the seats for  
guests. Three of the boys from  
the band at Casa Blanca were  
coming over to furnish the music.

The first person April saw when  
she went downstairs was Ann.

Ann was the beauty tonight, the  
shining one of the two sisters. Her  
dress was of creamy lace, so de-  
signed that the neck and shoulders  
gave a heart-shaped effect. Out  
of this she emerged ethereal, re-  
diant.

"Ann, our first bride," Mother  
murmured and it was as if those  
words expressed Ann's triumph at  
last from the role of the "plain  
sister" to that of the glamorous  
one.

The pianist ran experimental  
fingers over the keyboard and the  
accordion player grinned and sal-  
uted with the wedding march.

April avoided Kent, danced  
with young friends and old ones  
of the family and then, at last,  
with Hal Parks who hadn't taken  
his eyes from her all evening.

It was Hal who managed to  
dance her away to a corner in  
the hallway. Here, an excellent  
idea of the florist's had resulted  
in a small corner, blocked with a

fern screen which shut out sight  
of the guests dancing in the living  
room and sunporch.

"I think maybe you've danced  
long enough for your first night  
out," Hal said.

"Yes, I'm not up to my usual  
form."

"I was in court today. You  
came through with what they call  
flying colors."

"Well, the army saved the day,"  
April said with a quick  
glance, "the army did."

April leaned back against Hal's  
arm. After awhile, he looked  
down at her. "Remember what I  
said about waiting for you?"

"Yes, Hal."

"Well, I'm still around."

April learned right then that  
just as two wrongs didn't  
make a right, nor could a second  
love take the place of a first.

She had told Kent she was go-  
ing to marry Hal Parks some day.  
But she knew now she could never  
marry him. An empty heart wasn't  
enough for a person like Hal.

She faced him. "Hal, I never  
liked any person as sincerely as I  
do you. I've tried to learn to care  
for you but that's not love. I wish  
it were."

Words choked her. She couldn't  
say anything else. Hal patted her  
shoulder. He understood as he al-  
ways did. "If it will make it any  
easier for you, I've guessed it all  
along," he said. "I stopped hoping  
—oh, a long time ago. I think  
it was the last time we danced  
together at Casa Blanca."

He tilted her face, brushed his  
lips lightly across her cheek. Then  
he stood up. "April, honey, love  
is slow blooming with some peo-  
ple, but not with you. Love with  
you is like lightning. It strikes  
once and fast."

**WHEN** he'd gone, April still sat  
in the fern-shielded corner.  
Nip, bewildered and not a little  
unhappy at the whole uprooting of  
the house, nosed her out.

April leaned to pot him. "Ever  
hear those words—'bury the  
dead'?" Her head began to bump.  
"Well, that's me, Nip. I've buried  
it all today."

Kent had said, "You don't know  
what tears are."

"Maybe I don't," she thought,  
and felt her hand wet with them.

Suddenly, she was on the floor  
beside Nip, the coral gown as in-  
congruous as a clown's paint,  
swirled around her. In her sobs,  
she didn't hear footsteps approach-  
ing. When she looked up, tears  
streaming her face, she saw that  
Ann and Kent were staring at her.

(To Be Continued)

### BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

WELL, I THINK I  
PLAY IN THE  
CITY YARD TODAY!  
AFTER ALL...

J-E-F-F!

OH, J-E-F-F!

### ALLEY OOP

NO, COOP YOU DON'T  
UNDERSTAND... HISTORY  
ISN'T A PERSON...  
IT'S A RECORD OF  
EVERYTHING THAT  
HAS HAPPENED!

BUT DANG IT,  
TUM, THE  
BUSINESS AN'  
HAS, IT ISN'T  
HAPPENING!

TO US, YES, BUT DUE TO  
THE TIME-MACHINE,  
WE'VE GONE BACK  
TO THINGS THAT  
HAPPENED TWO  
THOUSAND  
YEARS AGO!

OKAY, IF YOU  
SAY SO, BUT  
DID ANYONE  
EVER FIND TH'  
MURDERER?  
I'M SURE  
CLEO IS HIDING  
IN HER  
TOMB?

### WASH TUBBS

GONE!  
STOLEN!!

S'POSE WE GET TO THE BOTTOM O' THIS.  
DR. BASSILA, YOU SAY IS BOTTLES OF  
DISEASE CULTURE WERE STOLEN FROM YOU,  
YET I KNOW THAT YOU'VE FURNISHED BARON  
HAUGCOLLA WITH THE GERMS HE'S USED  
TO SABOTAGE AMERICAN INDUSTRY!

I AM ASHAME TO ADMIT THAT WHAT  
YOU SAY IS TRUE, SIR. BUT IF  
A MAN MAKES ONE DREADFUL  
MISTAKE, MUST HE CONTINUE TO  
MAKE THEM?

NO!

### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

IT'S NOTHING --- REALLY!  
SHE SIMPLY AUTOGRAPHED  
MY SHIRT AND WROTE AN  
EXPRESSION OF SENTIMENT  
OR SOMETHING!

WELL, LET'S  
SEE IT!

OH, ALL  
RIGHT---  
YOU  
INSIST!

IMAGINE  
HAVING GLORIA  
GLAMOUR TAKE  
THE TROUBLE  
TO ---

### RED RYDER

COME ON  
NOW, SHEP!  
IF WE FIND--

"T'P DUCHESS  
MURDERED,  
I'LL--"

### Learning Things

UNCLE TOBE...  
WHO WAS  
THAT?

WHY, HONEY...FO  
GOODNESS SAKES,  
DON'T YOU KNOW?

### Too Bad, Oop

YES, ALLEY, THE  
ROMANS HAD POSSESSION  
OF THE TREASURE  
THE VERY DAY  
THE CITY FELL

THEY  
DID?

### How It Happened

I TELL YOU WHAT HAPPEN,  
THREE NIGHTS AGO, BARON  
HAUGCOLLA CAME AND DEMAND  
THE CULTURE FOR BUBONIC PLAGUE!  
"I WILL NOT BE A PARTY TO THE  
MURDER OF HUMAN BEINGS," I  
SAID TO MYSELF, "I WILL BE  
A MAN!--- AND I  
REFUSE!"

### Blotted Out

THAT'S FUNNY---  
IT WAS HERE  
AN HOUR AGO!  
I'LL SWEAR  
IT WAS!

LOOKS  
TO ME  
LIKE YOU  
FORGOT TO  
CHANGE YOUR  
OIL!

### Alive and Talkative

DUCHESS  
ALIVE?

SURE I'M ALIVE! GIT ME  
OUTTA THE DARNABBED  
ROCKER--

"AN' LET ME  
GIT AT ANGUS!"

### By Edgar Martin

OH AM MISS FLOSSIE  
PHILIP DE PRIDE AN'  
JOY OF ALL DE  
BOYS WHO  
LIVE IN DE  
HOUSE NOW!

BUT I  
DIDN'T  
KNOW...

J-E-F-F!

### By V. T. Hamlin

HEY, MY GOSH,  
THEY'LL  
MAGIC BELT I GAVE  
TO CLEOPATRA THAT  
OL OSCAR BOOM  
IS TRYIN'  
TO GET!

### By Roy Crane

OH, WHAT A SCENE! YOU ARE A TRAITOR  
TO THE MOTHERLAND! HE SHOUT. "BUT I  
AM LOYAL TO AMERICA," I SHOUT BACK.  
HE THREATEN TO KILL ME, AND STILL  
I REFUSE. THEN HE GO AWAY... BUT  
WHAT HAPPEN? HE BREAK INTO MY  
HOUSE AND STEAL THE CULTURE OF  
EVERY DEADLY DISEASE IN MY  
LABORATORY!

### By Merrill Blosser

SOMEWHERE UNDER  
THE RUINS OF AN ANCIENT  
CIVILIZATION!

SHE SHOULD HAVE  
WRITTEN HER MESSAGE  
WITH CLEANING  
FLUID!

### By Fred Harman

DUCHESS  
ALIVE?

SURE I'M ALIVE! GIT ME  
OUTTA THE DARNABBED  
ROCKER--

"AN' LET ME  
GIT AT ANGUS!"



# SOCIETY

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## Social Calendar

Friday, March 7th

The Rose Garden club members will be entertained by Mrs. L. D. Springer and Mrs. W. M. Cantley at the home of the former, 3 o'clock. Mrs. Garrett Story Sr. will be in charge of the program.

A large attendance is expected at the meeting of the Cemetery Association at the city hall in the council room, 3 o'clock.

Senator and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer will be honor guests at the Meeting of the Epsilon club, home of Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Jewell, 7 o'clock.

Saturday, March 8th

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nolen will compliment Senator and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer at a dinner, 8 o'clock.

Anniversary Party for Members of United Daughters of the Confederacy. Mrs. E. S. Richards, Mrs. W. G. Allison, Mrs. Gus Haynes, and Miss Zenobia Reed were hostesses to the members of the Pat Claiborne chapter of the United Daughter of the Con-

federacy at the home of the former on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The meeting was of unusual interest because of the fact that the 45th anniversary of the founding of the chapter. Mrs. Allison, who was dressed in a dress of the "Gibson Girl" style, greeted the guests, who were also attired in old gowns of various periods.

Mrs. H. F. J. Garrett, the president of the chapter, opened the meeting by leading the salute to the Confederate flag by the group, followed by the impressive ritual. Mrs. E. S. Richards presented the accompaniment for "How Firm a Foundation." During the business meeting the books recently donated to the chapter were discussed. Mrs. George T. Crews, the historian of the chapter, asked that each member bring a biographical sketch of her ancestor or ancestors, who was in the War Between the States. The highlights of the Executive board meeting held in Little Rock during the first of the week were given by Mrs. H. C. Whitworth, the third vice president of the state organization.

Following the program, the guests were invited into the dining room, where Mrs. Catherine Howard and Mrs. Charles Haynes presided at the beautifully appointed table. A large white birthday cake embellished in red and topped with 45 red glowing candles was placed at one end of the table, which was covered with a Madeira cut work cloth. Chimes concealed in the cake played a gay birthday tune during the afternoon. Centering the table was a doll by Linzi dressed in a costume of the ante-bellum period, surrounded by two old-fashioned lace edged bouquets of jonquils and japonica. Tall red tapers in silver holders added a soft glow to the fascinating scene.

Mrs. Don Smith had the distinction of wearing the oldest dress and

Mrs. H. F. J. Garrett wore the oldest jewelry.

Senator and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer Feled by the E. M. McWilliams

Among the lovely parties given for Senator and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer, who are leaving for Washington D. C. this month, was the dinner-bridge given by Mr. and Mrs. E. M. McWilliams at their home on East Third street Thursday evening. Myriads of gorgeous spring flowers including Dutch iris, candy tuft, and unusual varieties of jonquils were used to decorate the rooms, where small tables were arranged for the guests. These tables were centered with dainty arrangements of small spring flowers. Invited guests included: Senator and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Jewell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. McDavitt, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Cornelia, Mr. and Mrs. Al Williams of Prescott, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nolen, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson, and Mr. and Mrs. Max Cox.

Winners of the exciting bridge games were Mrs. Max Cox, for the ladies and T. S. McDavitt for the men. Both Senator and Mrs. Spencer also received handsome gifts from the host and hostess.

Pretty Setting for Thursday Bridge Club Games

Mrs. W. R. Herndon was hostess to the members of the Thursday Contract bridge club at her home on Thursday afternoon. Beautiful arrangements of pink carnations, Dutch iris, and candy tuft were noted at vantage points in the card rooms. Mrs. M. LaGrone Jr. was the only guest other than the club members. After the games scores were counted by Mrs. Dick Watkins receiving the gift. The hostess served a delicious hot dish with a fruit salad and coffee to her guests.

## Personal Mention

Dr. and Mrs. Jim Martindale and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson were in Hot Springs Wednesday seeing the races.

Miss Carolyn Barr has been nominated for the freshman "Who's Who" in her class at Belhaven college, Jackson, Mississippi, the results of which will be revealed when the class issue of "The Belhaven Miss," official publication, comes off the press on March 14. Miss Barr was among those submitted as candidates for the title Best Personality, according to the class president.

Mrs. Frank Nolen was a Tuesday visitor to Texarkana.

Mrs. Kline Snyder, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. George Brannon, and Mr. Brandon and Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Garrett in El Dorado returned to her home Thursday night. She was accompanied by the Brannons, who will remain for the weekend.

Miss Lorraine Clark, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Brice Thomas, has returned to her home in Mena, Arkansas.

Mrs. Lennie Wester Reynerson returned Thursday from Sulphur Springs, Texas. During her stay there, her son, Charles Reynerson, visited relatives and attend the legislative sessions in Little Rock.

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## Church News

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN  
Thos. Brewster, Minister

Sunday school 9:45 a. m., with classes for all age groups.  
Morning worship 10:55 o'clock.  
Vesper Service 5 p. m.  
Young people meeting 6:15 p. m.  
Auxiliary circle meetings Monday 3 p. m.

Men's monthly supper meeting Tuesday at 7 p. m. Special speaker will be Rev. Harry Wintermeyer, Minister of St. Mark's Episcopal church of Hope. Our men are urged to be there in full force.  
Mid-week service Wednesday 7:30 p. m.  
You are cordially invited to worship with us.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH  
North Main & West Avenue B  
John Keith Gregory, Minister

Bible School at 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship & Communion Service at 10:50 o'clock.  
Christian Endeavor Society at 6:45 p. m.  
Evening Worship Service at 7:30 o'clock.

Next Lord's Day the Minister will spend for the sixth time, on Great Christian Conviction following the theme: "I Believe in the Church." One of our new members, formerly of the Kingshighway Church of Shreveport, Louisiana, Mr. Ted Jones, will render the special music immediately prior to this message.

Instead of "Five and Twenty Sun Worshippers," as has been previously announced for next Sunday's evening service, the Minister will continue with the exposition of Ephesians begun last Sunday. The theme, this time, will be: "Gentile-Believers and the Church of Christ."

You are cordially invited to attend these services with us, for we realize that the man or woman who reverences the Lord's name, observes the Lord's Day, frequents the Lord's House, and reads the Lord's Book will never be a disturbing element in any desirable community. On the contrary, it is that person, and their like, who make any community a desirable place in which to live! Moreover, we want You to fellowship with us!

ST. MARK'S CHURCH  
Rev. Harry Wintermeyer, Pastor

Second Sunday in Lent.  
7:30 a. m. the Holy Communion,  
11 a. m. Holy Communion and Sermon.

HOPE GOSPEL TABERNACLE  
James E. Hamill, Pastor

"Earth's Last Great Drama" is the title of the pastor's sermon in the great Sunday night evangelistic service at the Tabernacle. The sermon will be of a prophetic nature. Special music and singing will again add much to the service. The service begins at 7:30.

A Program that will Reach A

"Lost World" is the Sunday morning subject of the pastor. The service begins at 11:00 o'clock.

Sunday School begins at 9:45, and everyone not already attending Sunday School regularly elsewhere is urged to attend the Tabernacle Sunday School. Come help us rebuild a faith in God and the Bible that threatens to be destroyed by forces from without and within the United States. Classes for every age, with trained and efficient teachers.

to the husbandmen servants who should get the fruit of the vineyard but the husbandmen beat the servant and sent him away. Another servant who was sent had the same fate and was shamefully mistreated. A third servant was sent, and he was similarly wounded.

Then the lord of the vineyard said, "What shall I do? I will send my beloved son." But when the husbandmen saw the son, they said, "This is the heir; let us kill him, that the inheritance may be ours." So they cast the son also out of the vineyard, and killed him. Jesus asked what the owner of the vineyard would do to them, and the answer was that he would come and destroy them, and give the vineyard unto others.

Now, what is the application of the parable? Jesus Himself seemed to make this plain in the reference to the stone which the builders rejected, but which was made the cornerstone. He is evidently referring to God's persistent appeal to the people through the prophets whom He had sent to proclaim righteousness and to warn them of the peril of continuing evil ways. These prophets, one after another, had been rejected, and most of them had been persecuted and killed.

Now Jesus Himself was the son whom God had sent, and the words of Jesus were prophetic, for He apparently realized the fate that was before Him. This He was rapidly approaching, for our lesson tells how the very people who ought to have accepted and honored a good man, conspired immediately to destroy him, setting spies upon him and even feigning to be His disciples, so that they might "take hold of his speech" and use it against Him.

Jesus was rejected by most of those of His own time. When we think of His continued rejection by later generations, we cannot but reflect upon the tragedy which that rejection has brought to the world. It is in turning from the Prince of Peace, refusing to receive God's Son and to give Him His triumphant place in life, that peoples and nations have brought upon themselves the fate of the world today—a world in which millions are suffering and dying, because hate and greed and violence have ruled instead of peace and love and service which Jesus came to proclaim to them both by His teaching and by His example.

Yet Jesus became the cornerstone of the Christianity that has grown through 20 centuries despite persecution, hatred and evil. The cornerstone still stands, and though wood, hay and stubble have been built upon it, a structure worthy of the foundation will sometime rise—when men receive the Christ in His fullness.

## 'Strawberry Blonde' Takes Over at Saenger on Friday



A film with a warm, human story starting James Cagney and Olivia de Havilland called "The Strawberry Blonde" will make its local debut at the Saenger theater Sunday and Monday. Cagney is cast as a simple fellow who doesn't go around socking people in fact, he finds out what it means to be on the receiving end of a right hook for a change, who doesn't harm and who doesn't want to blast his way to the top of anything. All he would like to do is become a darn good dentist. It is a different Cagney—a new Cagney—a Cagney that will win millions of new admirers.

Vivacious Olivia and sparkling Rita Hayworth are the two women in Cagney's uncomplicated life (that is, until they come into it). Olivia in love with Rita but married off with the local boy who made good played by Jack Carson. After many years of happily married life, Cagney realizes he married the right woman after all because Rita turns out to be a querulous, complaining woman, who makes life miserable for her husband despite his wealth.

The story is told in flashback style, starting one afternoon when Carson walks into Cagney's office to have his tooth extracted and while he is under the effects of the gas, the tale takes us back several years to the time when Cagney was all ambition, and two seater bicycles were all the rage. The plot gradually unfolds telling a story packed with drama and humor. Throughout it all is sprinkled the charm of the Gay Nineties—its old songs, sayings and customs.

George Tobias, who has made quite a name for himself with his many great screen characterizations since coming to Hollywood, has added still another to the impressive list with

his role in "The Strawberry Blonde." He is joined by the inimitable Alan Hale.

"The Strawberry Blonde" was written by Julius J. and Philip G. Epstein from a play by James Hagan. Raoul Walsh directed the production.

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## Regulations on Cotton Quotas Are Unchanged

### Quotas Approved by 92% of Farmers Voting in Referendum

Regulations for cotton marketing quotas for the 1941-42 marketing year will be virtually identical with those in effect the last three years, reports Oliver L. Adams, county agent. Quotas were approved by more than 92 per cent of the cotton producers voting in the national referendum on cotton quotas last December, which were favored by more than 95 per cent of Arkansas cotton producers who voted.

Quotas of the normal or actual yield, whichever is the greater, on the acreage allotment plus any carryover penalty-free cotton will be established for all cotton farms. Regulations provide for a penalty of 3 cents a pound on 1941 cotton sold in excess of the marketing quota; penalties will also be collected on any cotton produced in 1938, 1939, or 1940 if it were subject to a penalty those years, provided it cannot be marketed within the 1941 quota, he said. The penalty is 2 cents a pound on 1938 cotton and 3 cents a pound on 1939 and 1940 cotton.

White marketing cards will be issued to producers who plant within their 1941 acreage allotment and do not have on hand any carryover penalty cotton. Red cards will be issued to producers overplanting their 1941 allotment or have on hand any carryover penalty cotton. Blue cards will be issued to producers having on hand carryover penalty cotton from 1938.

If no marketing card is used by the producer to identify cotton when it is marketed, it is deemed to be penalty cotton and the buyer must collect 3 cents a pound on all such cotton. Buyers are required to report all purchases of cotton not identified by marketing cards, all cotton identified by red, or blue cards, and all seed purchases. Ginners are required to report all cot-

## County Council to Meet 19th

### Will Be Guests of Rocky Mound Demonstration Club

The county council of Home Demonstration clubs will hold its annual spring council meeting March 19 with the Rocky Mound Home Demonstration club as hosts, according to Mary Claude Fletcher, home demonstration agent.

The council meeting will be held in the Rocky Mound church. The Rocky Mound Home Demonstration club will have a call meeting Saturday, March 8, at the home of Mrs. Henry Pickard at 10 a. m. to make plans for the council meeting.

The clubs adjoining Rocky Mound are invited to attend this call meeting. Miss Fletcher will meet with the group.

## Bulgaria May

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for the city clerk. He told me he would see about it.

Mr. Atkins was out of town for 6 or 8 months and during his absence the AAA office moved to the courthouse. When he returned the office was given to the street commissioner.

"There has been a mutual agreement between the city clerk and myself for the past eight years to look after the work of both offices when the other was absent. When Mr. Atkins was away from the city so long, due to illness, the city clerk and I looked after the mayor's work the best we could instead of sending it to his uptown office, as we were elected by the people and thought it was our duty.

"It has always been my understanding that the office is a part-time job but if the council instructs me to stay there at all times I will be glad to do so.

"I invite any city official or citizen of Hope to inspect my records at any time.

"During the first part of this week I went to Little Rock on a library mission. I returned Wednesday night. I attended the legislature and heard discussion in regard to the county library system and had a conference with Mrs. Carrol Bishop, state librarian, regarding new books for the local library for the coming year and other library problems.

Signed:  
 "Charles Reynerson  
 "City Treasurer"  
 One in Seven

Only one of the seven speakers of the United States House of Representatives who have aspired to the White House ever have attained the presidency. He was James Polk.

The man who spends most of his time flaring up doesn't shine very long.

ton ginned and all seed cotton purchased, so that yields, marketing quotas, and penalties may be determined. Marketing quota penalties do not apply to cotton having a staple length of one and one-half inches or longer.

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Pat Whiting, carnival queen at Banff, Canadian resort, strikes a new note in ski styles with a mammoth wind and sun visor.

## Ouachita Wins AAU Cage Title

### Defeats Henderson 36-30 for State Championship

ARKADELPHIA — The Ouachita Tigers state college basketball champions made it double by downing the courageous and respected Henderson Reddies, 36 to 30, to win the Arkansas A. A. U. championship here Thursday night.

The heat was on from the first tip-off and as the crowd-standing fair gained in fury, partisans of both parls hurled challenges that may have developed into a free-for-all had not state policemen stepped in at the right time.

However, all was forgiven with the championship ceremonies following the affair. In short, it was a glorious victory for Coach Wes Bradshaw's Bengals and a bitter loss for the men of Tom Murphy, who have nothing to be ashamed of.

## Aid Asked for Flower Show

### Co-operation of Home Demonstration Clubs Sought

The Hope Garden club has asked for the cooperation of the home demonstration clubs over the county to participate with the Flower Show to be held March 14th in the building next door to the Senger theater, according to Mary Claude Fletcher, home demonstration agent.

Each club group under the direction of the home grounds leader is asked to bring in arrangements of spring flowers especially bulb groups. Each person exhibiting will furnish their own container which would consist of an appropriate vase, pottery, etc. and the flower groups being exhibited.

Each person is to have a card with the club name, name of person exhibiting, the name of the flower. This is an educational exhibit and all club members are cordially invited to attend. All exhibits must be in place by 10 a. m. This will be a feature of the Better Homes Program.

## National Farm

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present farm program and a declaration by the government that its future policy would be parity for agriculture.

"While complete parity has not yet been achieved, farmers have come a long way since 1933. We in the South have ample cause to be rejoiced over the advancement that agriculture has made through unity of purpose by farm people. We have come to recognize along with farmers of other states, areas, and commodities that our problems are mutual and that they must be approached on a national basis with national unity. It is fitting that farmers get together once each year on a designated day and summarize the progress they have made, intelligently discuss their problems and decide up on a course of unified action to meet them."

Mr. Frasier has notified Mr. Sommersville that County Farm Bureaus in nearly every county in Arkansas will sponsor programs and radio parties.

Mr. Sommersville advises that there will not be a program arranged for Hempstead county but that it is his wish that all farmers will take advantage of this Nation-wide program by listening to these radio talks Saturday night.

## Reed Denies

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under Mr. Cogbill's administration. I paid no attention and did not believe their stories. During 17 years of prison service over a period of 27 years, I had heard the same charges over and over about other superintendents. Whenever a new superintendent takes charge convicts always tell him a lot of slanderous stories about his predecessor. They think that will please the new superintendent and get special favors for them. Anyone who knows anything about prison affairs will tell you this is true.

## Harrison in Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON, NEA Service Correspondent

### What Becomes of Bored Tycoons? They Go Into Films

HOLLYWOOD — There must be many a bored businessman who harbors a notion that he really should have been an actor.

Maybe he even sharpens these pangs of frustration by playing roles with some amateur group. It doesn't occur to him that this may be the best time of his life for crashing Hollywood.

For one thing, the movies need character actors of all ages—as you will agree if you recall how frequently you see the same supporting players. The movies also are hunting rather desperately for leading men of obvious maturity to appear with some of the top-notch feminine stars who are well into their 30's.

There are several examples—though not anywhere near enough to please casting directors of businessmen who made their break and are building distinguished careers in pictures. James Stephenson heads the list because he recently was nominated for an Academy Award for his supporting role in "The Letter." Now he's co-featured with Gerladine Fitzgerald in "Shining Victory."

From Cotton to Celluloid

Nine years ago Stephenson, at 32, was a prospering partner in the cotton exporting firm of Stephenson & Collier of Manchester, England, and Shanghai, China. Came a day when he suddenly decided that the cotton business "wasn't interesting." He dissolved the partnership then and there, and walked out.

"I didn't know much about acting, because all I'd done was sing in amateur musicals and a local talent presentation of 'Aida,' he said. "But I had an idea that acting would be a pleasant profession."

He must have what it takes to impress stage managers, because the first one he approached gave him a chance at the Liverpool Repertory Theater. From then on, through a few plays, several foreign films and his Hollywood contract in 1938, Stephenson never has been off an acting payroll.

Maybe you've heard that Samuel Hinds, who has played lots of lawyers among more than 100 excellent screen parts in the past decade, used to be an attorney himself. He had hoped to be an actor back in his

Harvard years, but his father was a prominent New York lawyer who wanted him in the firm. So Hinds practiced 31 years, made a lot of money, lost it in the market crash, and wound up disgusted with business.

He was living in Pasadena, and for quite awhile had been amusing himself with roles at the famed Community Playhouse. So he took down his shingle and began angling for movie jobs. It was an easy transition, and Sam Hinds is a very happy gent these days.

"Retires" Into Movie Work  
 Jonathan Hale was a retired businessman of San Francisco, clipping coupons and monkeying with a couple of banking and corporation directorates from his seaside home at Carmel, when his attention strayed to the little theater in that colony.

Now he's in Hollywood a good deal of the time. He recently played the district attorney in "Flight From Destiny." Stephenson was a physician in the same picture.

Paul Cavanaugh was a successful

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attorney in England and Canada before he became a leading man on the stage and then entered pictures. Miles Mander, another Brillshier doing well in Hollywood, was a pioneer in the English aviation industry, built up a fortune with sheep ranches in New Zealand, and was barely deflected when he stood for Parliament from a London district. Then he turned to the stage, emigrated to Movietown, and now does a weekly world-news analysis on the radio in addition to his acting jobs.

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